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CANADA'S SUCCESS DEPENDS UPON THE PEOPLE

VICTORIA—The success of democracy in Canada will depend not upon political parties, not on parliamentarianism, nor on political leaders but upon the thought and work of the individual Canadian. Hon. H. B. Bennett, Conservative party leader declared in a New Year's address before the Canadian Club Tuesday.

"On the threshold of this new year I say this—success in this depends largely upon the character and work of the individual man. Success in a nation depends absolutely upon the collective wisdom of the people comprising that nation, upon yours and upon mine, upon everyone's," Mr. Bennett asserted.

"The present day in Canada is full of unequalled opportunities but on the other hand the responsibilities of the individual citizen are more numerous," he warned. "The mistake of the past could be corrected and the success of the future assured, only by the intelligent use of the individual franchise."

Many people wondered, Mr. Bennett said, why he chose to pursue a life of political toil.

"Providence having been good to me, I decided to devote myself to the service of my country," he explained.

Turning to a discussion of democratic government, Mr. Bennett said the world was being flooded with the idea that democracy was a failure. This question was of supreme importance to Canada.

"It is essential that we in Canada and British Columbia should make a success of democracy," he urged.

Defining democracy, Mr. Bennett pointed out that all men were not equal—except for their spiritual equality before God. To understand Canada and its problems it was necessary to understand this part—the essential differences between men in different places and in different spheres.

"Everyone in Canada over 21 years has a right and a responsibility in the government of this country," he said. "That being so, it is vital that we have an intelligent and educated democracy. Every man or woman can exercise a profound influence on the thought of his or her community."

"One of the greatest difficulties of democracy is its indifference. How many of you are taking an interest in the government of your country? I ask you at the beginning of 1928, how indifferent are you towards your country's welfare? Today you have your newspapers, your clubs, your parties. Through them you can learn of these things. It is no matter to me what party a man follows provided he interests himself and educates himself in public affairs in the government of our country."

JAPANESE IMPORTERS WANT ALBERTA WOOL

Inquiries have been received during the past week by the department of agriculture from an importing firm in Kobe, Japan, for quotations on shipments of large quantities of Alberta wool. Tribute is paid to the high quality of wool from western Canada and the hope is expressed that this product may be utilized in supplying large contracts for the Japanese government.

It will also be recalled that Capt. Kawakami, who recently visited Alberta from Japan, made thorough investigations into the country of shipping dairy and beef cattle, horses and swine from this province to meet the steadily growing demand in the Oriental market.

THE CURLING CLUB BONSPIEL

A very successful bonspiel was played on Monday last, twelve rinks being entered, and a good day's sport was enjoyed.

It is planned at a future date to have a mixed bonspiel with the ladies also taking part.

Three distinct records were made in yesterday's game: 1st, Alex Gray got up earlier than any time during the career; 2nd, one skip, the rink promptly five minutes late, only to be outdone by Leslie West, who, like a good sport he is, came over the mile for a clearance of seven miles, and landed at a neat nine o'clock; 3rd, Billy Woodliffe, playing on the present rink, the 120 rinks during the day, 75% of them being counters, due to his energetic assistance with the broom and landed fresh as a daisy at the New Year's ball; 2nd, one skip, at a critical point in the game, in his endeavor to load up his rinks on the key ridge, played two running shots, and such was the impact with which they were thrown, and the peculiar angle of the ice, that both went clean through the waiting rink and landed on the stone adjoining. Luckily no one was hurt. It is reported that they were found later, but could not be identified.

The final game was to be played on Tuesday evening between Wm. Gray vs. Jas. Swanson, two old veterans of many years standing.

A grand military tournament is to start on January 24th, and continue until January 24th, for possession of the Calgary Brewery Cup. This event will be immediately followed by a Scotch concert on Burn's night, January 25th. Two very successful previous celebrations were undertaken by the curling club, and this one will undoubtedly eclipse all others.

MORE THAN 200 ENTER C. C. PYLE'S FOOT RACE

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—More than 200 runners from all over the world have already entered C. C. Pyle's Los Angeles New York foot race, which will start March 8.

Pyle is having constructed what he said would be the world's largest bath. It will be equipped with shower baths, a cobbler's shop, kitchen and infirmary. The bus will follow the runners across the country.

Notable entrants include: T. Kolehmainen, Finnish runner who holds the Olympic games record for the 24 meter run; Loessman, of England; Tosa, of Italy; and Jamon, Zulu Indian.

Mr. Hines spent Xmas week with his people at Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. David Thomson are enjoying a holiday with relatives at Kamloops and other points in B.C.

Mr. Robert Wallace left Sunday for Vancouver, where he will enter the service of the street car service.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Payne, of Strathmore, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lawrie over the New Year.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the house of Mrs. Waters on Thursday, January 12th. It is requested that all members be present as election of officers will take place. Visitors welcome.

A dance is announced for Friday, January 6th, in the Namaka Hall, Bennett's orchestra will supply the music.

Miss Violet Watts left Monday for Calgary.

NO FORECLOSURE ON CHRISTMAS EVE

TORONTO—"I would like an adjuvant," said Friday, my Lord," said a young lawyer to Justice Logan in Chambers at Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

"What is the application for?" asked the Lordship.

"An order of foreclosure."

Justice Logan—"Then it goes over till after vacation. You are not going to foreclose anyone on the eve of Christmas."

A similar decision was given in a motion for partition of a property in Whitchy belonging to the John Coffey estate.

Let her stay in the homeosted another Christmas," ordered the judge.

THE NEW YEAR'S DANCE

Judging by the very merry crowd that attended the New Year Dance on Monday last, the year 1928 got away to a good start. In spite of bad roads and worse weather, the gathering was beyond expectations, and the spirit of merriment was more in evidence on that occasion than at any other dance the hall has witnessed.

The music was up to the high standard set by the local musicians, although the presence of Leslie Finner and Earl Gillespie were lacking; however the vacancies were soon filled by another set played by more than one artist. The dancers also assisted, in fact, there were times when so or deaths was necessary, the "music" made by all and sundry being enough to silence every other voice. When the balloon dance was in progress it seemed as if pandemonium had been let loose, and that the services of our efficient fire brigade would be found necessary to drown the noise.

Samp mean guy hit the writer in the eye with a streamer just as it was getting more than usually interesting in certain ladies' angle. Next time he'll be better protected.

Some remarks were made on the floor display of garters, but as a rule it was unkindly preferred.

The fortunate lady who survived the onslaughts was Miss Brooks, who was rewarded with a box of chocolates.

The only means to quiet the horn blower was to play the supper wait and the company sat down to a fine repast served by the ladies of the I.O.D.E., who are maintaining the fine reputation they have acquired for serving on the "cater."

After being filled internally, dancing was resumed and kept up to the wee small hours.

The decorations were very fitting for the festive season, the new scheme of colored lights making magnificent waitresses and much in demand. Everyone seems to have had a wonderful time, and the kids' band as for was the shortage of balloons, and that the paper hat and trumpet salesman should have a dozen hands, horn speed and lots of change as well as a good time.

"Pat" and his able staff of assistants deserve special praise for the decorating of the hall.

COMING EVENTS

January 8th, Supper and annual meeting, St. Michael and All Angels' Parish, in dining room of the Memorial Hall, Strathmore, at 6:30 p.m.

Hill's Theatre, Friday and Saturday, January 6th and 7th, "Tell It To Sweeney."

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CANADA TO CO-OPERATE WITH BRITISH MARKETING



HON. E. A. HEALEY, K.C., Chairman of the New Brunswick Power Commission, who announced that the operations for the year ended October 31st, show the financial return of any year since the inauguration of the publicly owned Hydro system. The Hydro supplies 14,734 customers in the southern section of the Province and operates about 250 miles of distributing lines.

LANGDON

Frank Stille and wife left Friday for Lansing, Michigan, to visit his parents.

Miss Bertha McLeod went to Calgary Monday after spending a week with Katherine Moos.

On account of the cold and closed roads, the I.O.O.F. Annual Ball had to be postponed. The young people had a party at the home of L. Bille, and the forty below weather didn't prevent a large crowd from having a good time.

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Darrow Tells of Accidents and Success

CHICAGO—Clarence Darrow became a criminal lawyer through accident and the successes and failures of almost every other person are matters over which they had little control, he told the Inter-Continental club.

"I certainly had nothing to do with the accident of my birth," the veteran lawyer declared, "I might have been an insect, as many are, or a moron, as the majority are. I was made a special assessment attorney by the accident that a mayor happened to like a political speech he heard me make, and then I became an assistant corporation counsel when Providence made my predecessor permanent."

"I would still be in Ashland, Ohio, except for an accident. I tried to buy a home and settle down there, but a woman refused to sign the deed after I had made the deal with her husband, so I came to Chicago. After leaving the city service, I opened an office as a

corporation lawyer, and would not even talk to a man unless he was incorporated."

Against His Will

"I was introduced into criminal practice by a friend against my will, when he got into trouble. I remained for a while a lawyer against my will until finally I got to like it."

Criminals he defined as "only persons to whom circumstances have been kindly adding that in nearly all cases they are undetected, usually stupid and half the time subnormal."

"If the public ever became intelligent enough to study the causes of crime, instead of attacking only symptoms," he said, "we will get rid of crime in one generation. We would have a far smaller percentage of persons unfitted for existence if we fitted our schools to our children instead of fitting our children to our schools."

Remember The I.O.D.E. Debate January 19

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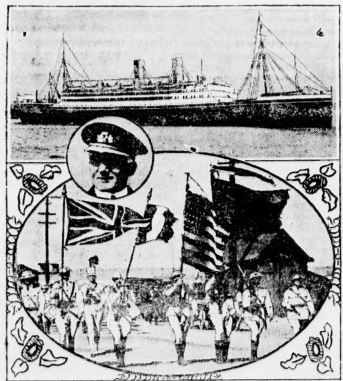
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"MEN'S BETTER WEAR"

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American Legion Honors Captain



Upper-left: P. "Buckshot" Sibbons, who arrived in Strathmore in war and peace. Lower-right: Captain Sibbons, who arrived in Strathmore in war and peace.

A signal honor has been conferred on Captain H. Sibbons, R.C.R., commander of the Canadian Legion, by the members of the American Legion who arrived in Strathmore in war and peace. On their voyage across the Atlantic to Quebec, R. J. Byers, adjutant of the American Legion, department of Michigan, decorated Captain Sibbons with the American Legion official medal of the second A.E.F. Many of the Legionnaires who journeyed with ways on the "Blue Royal" to attend the convention, were carried by this ship to France during the Great War. They returned there friendly with the popular commander. The majority of the Legionnaires on the pastime journey to France were from the middle west and west of the United States.

In honoring Captain Sibbons with the official medal, Adjutant Byers said: "Captain Sibbons, an historic pilgrimage has been successfully held, and thousands of the best citizens of America, proven to be such in action, and proven again in their sincere desire to continue that good citizenship by promoting world peace through this pilgrimage. Now have their faces turned homeward. They are conquerors, conquerors of friendship. You, sir, helped guide the first A.E.F. through danger-infested seas. You, sir, have again helped guide safely the second A.E.F. to a joyous conclusion. It was the comparatively few men of your calibre, men who have spent a lifetime in the service of their country, who have carried a lifetime in the service of their country, who have carried a lifetime in the service of their country. You, sir, are carrying on in peace-time, just as you were carrying on the soldiers, sailors and marines—when you have so safely carried across and back—first to war and then to peace. You are one of our true leaders; one on whom we depended, and who took care of us. Sir, I pin the American Legion Official Medal of the Second American Expeditionary Force on your breast. Only men of proven worth are permitted to have it. In due time, when we shall have completed our journey, your accompanying citation will be forwarded to you. This is the service medal to be worn with your uniform on proper occasions."

SPORT NOTES



CANADIAN WINS WORLD'S TITLE

"Frenchy" Delaguer, young Canadian weight boxer, who was awarded the decision over Ernie Jarvis, of Great Britain, in a 12 round bout for the lightweight championship of the world.

H. P. WHITNEY'S HORSES WIN MORE THAN \$200,000 IN YEAR

NEW YORK, N.Y.—H. P. Whitney carried off greater honors in the 1927 season with 75 winners for the highest aggregate earnings on the race track of \$257,224. Last year, Whitney also topped the list with earnings exceeding the \$400,000 mark.

The driverless stable, operated by Mrs. Payne Whitney, ranked second this season with firsts in 72 races, for total earnings of \$259,609, while the dearm stable had 53 winners, tying with the Audley farm for leading winners; it was classed third in earnings with \$253,912. Audley farm netted \$118,182, and was tenth.

Mrs. John D. Herz of Chicago, with a small lot of six or eight horses made a remarkable record for a practically newcomer in the sport, by placing seventh. Mrs. Herz had but fourteen winners, but the earnings were \$175,025, largely resulting from Anita Paulsby's victory in the Futurity at Belmont Park.

Joseph K. Widener, with 33 winners, for a total of \$205,227, was fourth; E. R. Melson, 53 winners, for \$185,023, fifth; W. J. Salmon, with 48 winners, for \$181,919, sixth; Harcourt stable, 72 winners, for \$161,563; J. N. Camden, 60 winners, for \$157,503, ninth.

THE DIFFERENCE

When Dad is sick
He's scared to death,
And gas and up
Just hold our breath.
He crawls in bed
And puffs and grunts,
And does all kinds
Of crazy stunts.
He wants the doctor,
An' mighty quick,
For when dad's ill,
He's awful sick.
An' sort of aghast.
He caxes and caws,
He takes so queer,
And rolls his eyes,
Ma jumps and runs,
An' all of us,
An' all the house,
An' peace and joy
Is mighty scarce—
When dad is sick,
He's something fierce.

When Ma is Sick
When Ma is sick
She pines away,
No sleep to say,
She's down right on
A-sore things.
An' sometimes laughs,
He even sings,
She says she don't
Feel extra well,
But then it's just
A kind of spell,
She'll be all right
To-morrow, sure.
A good old sleep
Will be the cure;
An' dad be sniffs
An' makes no kick,
For women folk,
Is always sick.
An' Ma, the snail,
Lets on and glads
It ain't so bad.

THE LABEL

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THE HORNBURY BETTING CASE

CLAYTON, Mo.—The history of an alleged mutual horse race betting agreement between Rogers Hornsby, captain of the New York Giants, and Frank J. Moore, Newport, Ky., betting commissioner, was told in circuit court by Moore, who was seeking to collect \$40,000 from the ball player.

"I first met Hornsby in the spring of 1925 at Cincinnati," Moore told a jury, which earlier in the day had been selected with little trouble after considerable effort by the fact that Hornsby was traded from St. Louis to New York.

"A few moments after I was introduced to him," Moore continued, "Hornsby asked if I had any good tips on the races. I told him I did have, and he immediately placed ten bets on ten horses at \$10 a bet."

Moore alleged that their mutual agreement, operating by a triple telephone line between St. Louis and New York, at first netted both men \$100,000 profit, but that as only five bets lost money, he eventually netted for \$200,000, but had lost \$100,000 on his portion to \$100,000.

"After that Hornsby would call me from every city on the National League circuit. All the long distance calls would be paid by him. If he was in New York and wanted a tip or to place a bet he would call me at my home at Port Thomas, Ky., or wherever he happened to be in any city," Moore continued.

"In the spring of 1926 Hornsby personally invited my wife and me to come to the training camp of the Cardinals at San Antonio, Texas. I then became really friendly with Hornsby."

"Following that trip Hornsby called me more often. He would call me from each city. That same year Hornsby called me long distance from Philadelphia. He said that New York was his last stop, where they were to play the Giants, and that he owed a man named Phil McGuire, a betting commissioner, \$12,500. Hornsby asked me to pay it, and I did expecting to be repaid."

Judgment was given in favor of Hornsby.

DELANEY TO MEET HERE THIS MONTH

BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Jack Delaney will meet Tom Heeney on Saturday January 20 or 27 at Madison Square Garden under the management of his own pilot, Joe Jacobs, and Tex Rickard will promote the bout, the former lightweight champion said here today.

NEW PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL SOON READY FOR USE

The new hospital being established by the Provincial Department of Health for the treatment of patients from all parts of the province, is being built from the after-effects of influenza, will be ready for use early in January. It is announced by Hon. George Hoodley, Minister of Health. The new building is being erected by the department of public works on the grounds of the University Hospital in Edmonton.

Coal

Newcastle, double screened lump, \$7.40 a shed, \$8.00 delivered. Lethbridge Imperial, \$9.00 at shed, \$9.50 delivered.

Chas. Keeling

PHONE 72

STRATHMORE

FAMOUS HORSES RAISED IN ALBERTA

Editor, Strathmore Standard.

Dear Sir:

I know the Bow Valley people, and thought that the horsemen of the district, like Juan Kinnemet, Charlie Keeling, and Joseph Keeling, would be interested in the history of Yowell, the famous Alberta brood mare.

Yowell, by Yorkshire Lad, dam Win. W. W. was raised by Mr. W. J. Wilson, of Millerville, who is known as Buckskin Charlie, was sold as a yearling for the modest sum of \$120.00 to Mr. Thomas about nine or ten years ago.

He was a very successful mare horse in Western Canada, so much so that his owner decided to ship him to Eastern Canada and race him, and was well rewarded for doing so.

A New Orleans paper stated that a name horse than Yowell never lived. He made his owner owner money to buy him a new little breeding farm in Louisville, Kentucky, where he now resides; it is known as "Yowell Place".

Yowell broke down in his last race. A party of Alberta horsemen got together and sent that well-known and popular horseman, Mr. T. B. Jenkinson, to Kentucky to buy him, and the horse returned to Alberta, and has been at stud here.

Yowell's colts were the biggest winners at the last show last spring. I saw one horse last year, with a true type of thoroughbred, standing sixteen hands, and you would travel a long way to find a better one.

It was through the good works of Mr. E. D. Adams, the president of the Thoroughbred Breeders Association, that this horse was brought back to Alberta. This is only one of the many things Mr. Adams has done for the Thoroughbred horse industry of this country, but I think it is one of the best.

The old saying, "Truth is stranger than fiction," not only was this Yowell very successful, but the man that left Calgary as his trainer, Mr. B. S. Mitchell, who, when he left, was known to the racing world, with the exception of his friends at Calgary, then is one of the leading horsemen of America, being trainer for Mrs. Herz the owner of the two outstanding horses making this last summer, namely, Reish Count and Anita Paulsby.

Anita Paulsby, biggest leading money winner in America for 1927, and Kentucky Derby, was favourite for the Kentucky Derby.

I think the breeder of Yowell resided somewhere in the vicinity of \$1000 from Brokers Standard. I had most pleasant visit with Mr. Mitchell when he was in Calgary.

Yours truly,

A. LAYZELL

ENGLAND'S DIVORCE RUSH

LONDON—The fear of public scandal having been removed by the law forbidding newspapers to publish any thing but the bare record of the cases, England is witnessing a rush to the divorce courts which, it seems, was entirely unexpected by the proponents of the new law, and which is causing concern to all. The purpose of the act was to remove the cause of the press of unsavory details. It has achieved that end, but it has, at the same time—some of the press warned—multiplied those seeking to settle the marital knot but who were previously deterred by the fear of publicity. As Delaware and one or two other states have a similar law, which is undoing the scrutiny, what is happening now in England is doubly interesting on this side of the water.

More than 500 divorce petitions were filed in the London Daily Express, which is happening now in England is doubly interesting on this side of the water. More than 2,000 divorce suits will have been decided in London alone, and cases heard by judges will bring the total to 2,500. This means that, including co-respondents, 10,000 persons will be concerned in this break-up of over five-year periods since the divorce is shown by the following table, taken from the Daily Express, of the average yearly number of cases over five-year periods since the beginning of the present century:

1901-1905	563
1906-1910	624
1911-1915	610
1916-1920	1510
1921-1925	2724

Unquestionably, lawyers, further, attribute a large proportion of this year's increase to the prohibition of newspaper reports of anything beyond the bare skeleton of hearings.

DANISH BOY BEATS CANADIAN PUPILS

VICTORIA, B. C.—Educationalists were surprised and delighted at the announcement that a 12-year-old Danish boy, the son of poor immigrants, had won the pupils of British Columbia schools in an essay competition held in connection with National Apple Week. Harold Hakala, of Victoria, whose essay on the history and use of apples would do credit to a well-edited encyclopedia, was rated as a "genius" after official intelligence.

Brought up in a fishing village on the desolate west coast of Vancouver Island, he had no advantages, but his work has attracted the attention of teachers who have entered the Victoria school system. His essay was regarded by the education authorities as probably the most remarkable piece of work done by a public school pupil in this province.

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HEAVY ENROLLMENT AT SCHOOLS OF AGRICULTURE

Arrangements are being made for the official opening of the newly completed dormitory at the Oida School of Agriculture, on January 3rd, at the time of the annual reunion of the Alumni Association of the school, announces H. A. Craig, Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Superintendent of the Provincial Agricultural Schools. It is expected that the Government will be represented on this occasion by Premier Brownlee and Hon. George Hoadley.

The new building which was erected by Bennett and White, of Calgary, at a cost of some \$100,000, as well as providing dormitory accommodation for 200 students, includes a gymnasium, reading rooms and a number of central classrooms, and is an imposing addition to the buildings on the school campus.

A record enrolment has been reached this term at the agricultural schools in the province, nearly 600 students having registered in the first and second years of the courses in practical agriculture and home economics. The Oida School leads with an attendance of 265, while Vermilion has 135, Claresholm 97 and Raymond 77. In addition to the Alberta farm boys and girls who are attending, the enrolment includes some 62 British boys who arrived during the early fall and have been divided between the Oida, Vermilion, and Claresholm schools, where they are being given instruction in western farming methods which will fit them to become farmers in the province.

C.P.R. Plans Two New Musical Festivals



Scene during the Piping Contest—Harold E. Key, appointed head musical director of the C.P.R.

specimens of the handicrafts at which they are so skilled. The summer solstice is associated with folk-festivals of nearly every European race and on account of that time has been selected as the most appropriate time for this gathering.

The other festival will be devoted to sea music and will take place at Vancouver in the early fall. Vancouver is a world port notable for the variety of its sea-craft with many old seamen familiar with sea chanties. Other Festivals at other suitable points are also being planned by the Canadian Pacific, which has appointed Harold E. Key, conductor of the Mendelssohn Choir of Montreal, as Musical Director of these Festivals.

Mr. Key will also have supervision of music at Canadian Pacific Hotels. Mr. Key has made a reputation in Canada as Conductor, Composer, Lecturer and Organist and is an authority on choral music and singing. Educated at Fettes College, London, the City of London School, he came to Canada after the war, having served in France. Since 1920 he has been Organist of Emmanuel Church, Montreal. In 1921, he was Musical Director of the Mendelssohn Choir and brought it to the highest state of efficiency.

I Saw Last Week

E. WHITESIDE spending a very quiet New Year Day that is, quiet for him. TED SCHULTE and TEDDY Jr. rehearsing for the big I.O.D.E. debate on January 15. Better get your ticket early. "PAT" still playing in hard luck at the New Year's dance when the "loose of Pearly" was being played. BLAKE LUNA and KING KELLY, the Ice Baron, entertaining the people at the Legion's New Year dance with some of the latest novelty steps and songs. THE HODGINS making final arrangements to put over the big debate about January 19th. BILL SAUNDERS having a busy time teaching the Eka's Band at Harner's Hall, and visiting Chaucer's Jewelry store at Calgary. Yes, it was a nice looking store that THEY were examining, and it looked good at the Legion Dance. M. S. HURD hoping that he will be able to secure the famous film "Ben Hur". DON MCKAY might well pleased that the school holidays have ended. BEXALL HED reports the shipwrecks in southern Alberta in fine condition as far south as Grasmere. E. P. POSTER enjoying New Year's Eve in Calgary. BEN PENSENDEN matching with CHARLIE COWELL, which of them should win Jim Swanson. Ben lost, but Jim, up to time of going to press, is unharmed. KING KELLY giving Blake Luna a heart-to-heart talk at the Canadian Legion Dance. GEORGE QUINN giving a few musical selections at the New Year's dance, that went over. MR. JEAN KIMMETT wishing the weather would moderate. CLAS KEELING feeling very badly when the thermometer touched 37 degrees—no coal and nothing to do except to wait. FRED KIMPTON telling Percy Parish that he expects winter to set in early in January, so the popcorn at Harvey Hoadley's were very tame during the Fall, which is a sure sign of winter setting in late. HAROLD JONES glad that it is Alberta for this mild spell, and thus avoiding the severe weather at the Coast. FRED and CHARLIE HARVEY making arrangements for a very important trip to Vancouver. "TEDDY" SCHULTE and FREDERICK RIDLEY getting ready for the jump debate being arranged by the Bank of Montreal. JIM MORAN wishing he could spare the time to go and see the Frenchy Belanger-Jarvis fight picture at Calgary. PRINCE completing arrangements for the election of officers. DR. J. W. OFFEN might well pleased with himself that he owned a subscription. T. M. WEARS having a Very Happy New Year's Eve, taking in the "babe" for 1927 taxes. Oh you poor old 5% penalty. The "STRATHMORE ELK" making it's how to the members, and three new editors breaking into the journalistic game. F. J. TRAM, D. M. LUNDIE and J. GUNNOR. ROY MINER trying to obtain an option on the services of Jim Swanson for the 1928 theatrical season, but failed. As Jim has several very lucrative offers to which he is giving consideration. R. J. KEARNS looking for the winter to pass so that he can get out work in his garden. D. ENOLUND out admiring his Leghorn, producing eggs 100 per cent. with the weather forty below zero. JOHNNIE SCHULTE looking for a pair of rubbers at the New Year's Dance. T. CHAMBERLAIN ST. busy making up the docket. MIKE MORAN and JACK CHIELLIN putting on a swell service in the cloak room at the Legion Dance. MARSHALL KIMPTON making arrangements with D. A. Perry for transportation to "Rough Town", where he is working up a new contract, but not necessarily an electrical one.

FISH HATCHERY FOR WATERLOO LAKES PARK
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The contract for the fish hatchery which will be constructed in the Waterloo Lakes National Park at a cost of some \$10,000 has been awarded to Rinald & Scott, of Cardston. The exact location chosen is near the Kootenay River bridge, and it is expected that the hatchery will be completed by April 1, 1928. Game fish fry propagated in this hatchery will be used to stock a number of rivers and lakes in the southern part of the province.

WIFE MAKES STRANGE CHARGE AGAINST RECTOR
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LONDON—A rector's wife who applied for a maintenance and separation order in Barnstable County Police Court alleged that while the others at the rectory had porridge for breakfast she was forced to eat cold bacon and stale croutons, which usually formed part of the pony's rations.

She did not think her husband wanted her, so he seemed to be happy with his housekeeper, Miss Bond, and appeared unable to do without her. She was held down by someone else while her husband struck her with a razor stop.

The rector, the Rev. Leslie C. Banks, denied hitting his wife, and Mrs. Banks admitted affixing a notice to the pulpit and writing out a notice containing the words "Miss Bond, beware."

Mr. Banks said his house was still open to his wife if she would return. He added that the case was a mental one, and therefore the rector's wife's memory was open to question.

Wife At Assylum
J. L. H. Volant, for Mrs. Banks.

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she was sent away. Mrs. Banks added that she had taken up "charming" and had applied to the guardians for relief. She admitted affixing a notice to the pulpit and writing a notice containing the words "Miss Bond, beware!"

Mr. Levey said that Mrs. Banks was frightened of her children, and they were frightened of her. She was not strong enough, mentally or physically, to undertake the management of the home.

Since June 29, when she left the home, her husband had not maintained her, though he had kept his house open to her. The present position was largely due to other people who, out of mistaken kindness, had taken her in.

May Hockridge, a servant at the rectory, said she once jumped out of the window because she was afraid that Mrs. Banks would "wallow" her with a stick or something.

The servant denied that Mrs. Banks was given croutons to eat. Mr. Banks was asked if he was prepared to get rid of Miss Bond, and replied that he must have someone to keep the home together. He had his two children to bring up, and he considered that Miss Bond had put up with more than an average person would in her life at the rectory.

An agreement was later arrived at between the parties. While the rector was driving home in a motor-car after the proceedings he met with an accident, and was found on the roadside near Shirwell by Captain Faneush Royle, one of the magistrates, who had been on the bench.

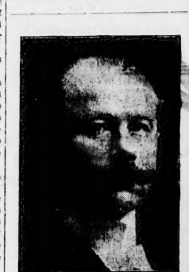
Mr. Banks was taken to the North Devon Infirmary with head injuries and a fractured wrist.

"I can truthfully say that none of my customers has ever complained of my work."

"What is your work?"
"I am a sofa maker."

C. P. R. COLONIZING SCHEME

WINNIPEG, Man.—The Canadian Pacific Railway, which still owns large sections of land in the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta, will put into effect next spring a new scheme for colonizing these barren lands. It proposes to bring out experienced farm workers from European countries, allow them to work the land all summer and file on the lands in the fall. For the first four years no payments will be required by the company. At the end of that period, provided the settler had completed the improvements required under the scheme and had fulfilled the other conditions, he would be permitted to buy the land on very easy payments stretched over a long term of years.



BRITISH CAPITAL PORT QUEBEC
Hon. Adolphe Turgeon, Speaker of the Quebec Legislature, who representing the interests of a group of Quebec capitalists, headed by Lord Dufferin, announced that 12,000,000 had been subscribed for preparatory work in connection with proposed operations in the north of Quebec.

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS, CHRISTMAS 1927

	Composition 2	Composition 1	Literature 1	Literature 2	Literature 3	History 1	History 2	History 3	Latin 1	Latin 2	Geometry 1	Geometry 2	Algebra 1	Algebra 2	Chemistry	Geography	French 1	Art	Average	Class Standing
GRADE XI																				
John Garrett	78																			
Iva Schultz	73																			
Tena Gledning	52																			
Jack Crellin	59																			
Dora Boli (absent)																				
GRADE X																				
Louise Fowler	84																			
Alberta North	65																			
Alvin Garrett	67																			
Maude Frobergner	62																			
Sam Slater	68																			
Muriel Hamar	68																			
GRADE IX																				
Norman Ellis	37																			
Hector McGregor	37																			
Marjorie Wootton	43																			
Alvin Scher	50																			
M. Schultz	62																			
Mary Bellinger	68																			
Tena Gledning	35																			
Nathan Wotton	54																			
Imogene Holly	52																			
GRADE IX																				
Alice Bell	61																			
P. Frobergner	77																			
Lewis Harris	49																			
C. MacDonald	49																			
John McGregor	43																			
M. Newmeyer	67																			
Mae Seale	88																			
Phyllis Wathen	67																			
Hazel Short	78																			
Helen Bellinger	75																			
SPEC PUPILS																				
Bertha Gray	50																			
Helen Beasley	76																			
Wm. Gledning	76																			

-:Local Jottings:-

Mrs. Neal McDonald gave a New Year's dinner party in honor of the Manitoba bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moffat.

The arrangements for the refreshments served by the I.O.D.E. at the Legion Dance, were made by Mrs. Tom Chamberlain, assisted by Mesdames Garrett, Whitehead, Blaney, Kearns, McGregor, O. Wright, French, Harris, Misses Knyvett and Watson.

Oliver Wright met Pete Telfer at the depot on Tuesday, but could not understand when he dropped the "Gaelic", and persisted in using the Ukrainian lingo. "It was bad enough with the Gaelic," says Oliver, "but my goodness, he is hopeless with the Ukrainian stuff."

Miss Florence Garrett visited in Calgary last week.

Mr. Joseph French left for Vancouver, to visit his brother, Douglas French, at the Military Hospital.

Dr. J. W. Gillen made a hurried trip to Edmonton to visit his family during the holidays.

Mrs. T. Gledning, who was on the invalid list for a few days, is much better.

Mrs. G. H. Patrick entertained on Thursday at tea and shower in honor of Miss Watson, a bride elect of an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Patrick and son visited Revelstoke, the guests of Mrs. Patrick's sister.

The friends of Dr. Harris will be pleased to learn that he is now convalescent after an attack of the flu.

Jack Garrett attended the meeting of the Boys' Parliament at Calgary.

Word has been received from Vancouver that Mr. Douglas French, who left to take treatment at the Shaughnessy Military Hospital, has successfully undergone an operation, and has since been making favorable progress. His many friends are hoping that he may soon be restored to health, and able to return to Strathmore.

"Kid" Burns, who got into trouble in the 1925 Drumheller strike, and was sentenced to three years at Prince Albert, is out on parole after serving part of his sentence.

Dr. J. H. Collip, of Alberta University, one of the discoverers of insulin, has been captured by McGill University, and will leave Alberta, shortly to take up his new work. This is a real loss to Alberta, and it is too bad that the Government university could not retain his very valuable services.

On Wednesday, December 25th, a quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones, when Vera May, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. A. Davidson, formerly of Carman, Manitoba, became the bride of George Thomas Moffat, eldest son of Mrs. D. J. Moffat, of Roland, Manitoba. Rev. Mr. Wilkinson officiated. After a short honeymoon at Banff, the happy couple will reside at Roland, Manitoba.

The home of "Ted" Schulte is one of much activity these days, with Teddy Jr. looking up facts in connection with Government ownership of railways, and Ted Sr. delving in the weakness of the American system of government, also assisted by his neighbor, George Quirin, together with expressions of sympathy for Principal Crowther and Rev. Winter, their opponents in the big I.O.D.E. debate on January 19th, well Mrs. Schulte is bearing nothing but DEBATE.

	Standing	Average	Composition	Grammar	History	Literature	Spelling	Geography	Agriculture	Arithmetic
GRADE VIII										
Mundo McDonald	1	74	75	56	90	65	94	86	77	82
Phyllis Bower	2	74	60	77	88	80	80	80	80	80
Sylvia Philpot	3	71	70	53	70	74	86	89	33	44
Andrey Bray	4	71	70	53	70	74	86	89	33	44
Harold Freeman	5	67	60	53	81	50	86	88	88	36
Anna Frederick	6	65	50	59	62	67	82	79	43	41
Violent Hyde	7	61	50	59	77	58	96	75	44	37
Orietta Anderson	8	59	45	65	58	66	88	60	28	28
Arthur Macdonald	9	58	10	56	73	66	82	73	70	43
Helen Shrimpton	10	57	50	56	67	66	86	72	46	36
Alice Bellinger	11	57	50	56	70	62	80	65	56	23
Vivian Moran	12	57	50	56	57	52	90	62	60	28
Florence Bray	13	55	60	45	73	53	86	53	50	21
Dorothy Freeman	14	71	70	81	88	88	78	65	42	42
Harold Hamar	15	69	70	59	52	88	88	78	65	42
D. Wilkinson (absent)										

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-: Local Jottings :-

Harold Tucker, who recently joined Chief Ritchie's "bull squad", in making a reputation for himself, having, in conjunction with Constable Goddard, gone out, and in one Sunday captured without loss of life, twenty-one storekeepers who sold cigarettes or cigars, each of whom were fined five dollars and costs.

The election of officers for Strathmore Elks took place at the Memorial Hall on Wednesday night.

Don't bother George Quirin these days as he is busy getting up his share for the I.O.D.E. debate in the Memorial Hall in January, the date of which will probably be the 19th.

Mrs. W. Springhouse entertained at a New Year's dinner.

Miss Edith Gray has returned from Saskatoon, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. P. Nasmith.

Mr. Jack Dowden, of Glenora, was a Strathmore visitor on New Year's.

The Vulcan Municipal Hospital very decidedly voted in favor of the erection of a hospital to be located at Vulcan. It will probably have a twenty-five bed capacity. Gradually the Municipal Hospital is growing. When will Strathmore make the first move to secure this much needed public necessity?

When the U.E.A. convention is held this month, the subject of wheat grading will likely be fully discussed.

Twenty thousand pounds of turkeys were shipped on the Thursday before Xmas from the farm of Hanna.

E. P. Foster, formerly on the local coaching staff, has moved from Carstairs to Stettler.

J. Van Tichem did some fast work Monday getting off No. 3 train.

Mrs. F. Moore Sr., of Calgary, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Moore on New Year's.

Misses Mary and Esther Stockton have returned to Bosman, Montana.

Miss Geraldine Van Tichem returned to Calgary on Monday.

Dr. Hocking, dentist, is very much pleased with the development of his Strathmore practice, and has made arrangements to make a visit each Saturday. Other days patients may get in touch with him in the Herald Block, Calgary, Phone M212.

Miss Violet Hyde was the guest of Doris Gardner during the holidays; also Norman Gledning and Hector McGregor were visitors at the Gardner home in Calgary.

Frank Sharpe trying to find the destination of a trunk on the truck. "Guess that fellow was out later than I was on New Year's night," smiled the genial Frank.

E. W. O. Whitehead was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday.

The shipment of sheep from Castle were caught in the blizzard to the Sorensen farm, suffered very serious loss. Quite a large number of the animals were dead when the train reached Strathmore.

Refusing to lose her Canadian nationality, Miss Margaret Barrie, Ottawa nurse, has resigned from the Chicago municipal hospital rather than obey the decree issued by Mayor (Big Bill) Thompson that all Canadian nurses must sign the oath of allegiance to the United States or lose their positions. Twenty-three nurses in the Chicago municipal hospital are affected by Mayor Thompson's order.

T. Chamberlain Jr. returned to Edmonton University. Mrs. Chamberlain and "Nick" accompanied him to Calgary.

Jack Taylor and Pete Telfer returned to Vegreville, where "Pete" is giving instruction to a Russian class in the Gaelic, and "Jack" is acting as assistant, usually at meal hours.

W. D. McLean and family returned to Calgary on Tuesday after spending New Year with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore.

Pete Telford and Jack Taylor came down from the far north to spend the festive season at the home of John Taylor.

Pete was in bad form, he having read in the Hockey paper that everybody was invited to a Bird Show, where the admission, including Xmas dinner, was only three pence.

Moore Jay Hockey Club, on which Andy Moran is playing, is endeavoring to secure "Spunk" Sparrow's reinstatement. "Spunk" broke into the professional game with Moore Jay, and is a very popular player in that city.

A Canadian Pacific Railway engineer, who was passing Strathmore, just as the New Year was ushered in, joined in the salute with a real energy, which was much appreciated. Thank you Mr. Engineer, many happy returns.

Mr. A. H. Haines, of Battle, has removed to Great Falls. Mr. Haines formerly was a resident of Bow Valley.

Mrs. Hector McGregor entertained a number of friends on New Year's Eve, several of whom were Scotch.

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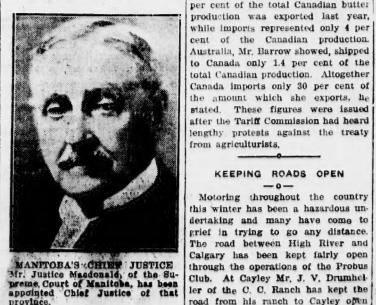
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EDISON GETS RUBBER FROM ASHER PLANTS

ROBERT ORANIER, N. J.—Thomas A. Edison has developed new processes for extracting rubber from common North American plants, he has just announced here. Although these processes are not economical enough to compete commercially with rubber from the tropics, they assure a simple domestic supply in the event of any shortage, the inventor said.

Mr. Edison has extracted rubber from many plants in the course of the research work which he has been doing for the past year, he continued. Among these plants are golden rod, asters and dandelions.

"I found as high as 2 per cent of rubber in asters," Mr. Edison said. "Nobody has ever found it before in these plants because everybody had been using alcohol in extracting products from them. Rubber not being soluble in alcohol, has passed on through and has been missed."



REARS INDIAN COMMISSION
Mr. John Simon, former British Secretary of State for Home Affairs, who has been appointed Chairman of the Commission to investigate as to how the reforms have worked out in the Indian Government since the natives were given a greater share in the responsibility for their own government in 1919.

ated in a street that the other said: "But, my I do hate to see

HEARD ON THE STREET

Liam: "Dis am de fast time Ah's seen yo' husband fo' a long time. Ny, net he am corpulent."

Mandy: "Dis's hasty fo' your! But man am so modest he nevah told me he was a corporal."

The caddy had returned from his first piano lesson. Asked how he liked it, he replied: "Oh, I guess I'll get used to it. But there are so many music-folks on the paper it's hard to choose the right one."

Here's the latest about the man with a prodigious appetite, who can eat a dozen eggs or several dozen oysters at a sitting. He was taken by a friend to the latter's club, where a course dinner was served. When they had finished eating, the host inquired: "Well, what do you think of that for a dinner?"

"Great," replied the hearty eater. "Now let's have another on me."

Husband (getting one meal during moving period): "If you happen to know where the bread and butter is, darling?"

Wife: "You'll find the bread behind some books under the sofa, the butter, in the coal cellar, and—do try not to be so helpless!"

A colored "gent" took out a marriage license. A few days later he asked the clerk to substitute another woman's name for the one on the license, as he had changed his mind. He was told it would cost him another dollar and a half.

"You mean I got to get a new license?"

"Yes," said the clerk.

The applicant replied with an air of determination: "Never mind, boss, this one will do. Dar ain't no doh-ah ain't a half difference 'tween dem two, now!"

Aunt Het says: "It ain't no trick to keep a man faithful an' happy if a woman will just let him think he's boss an' pet him when he has babyish spells."

"James, has the druggist sent that sleeping draught yet?"

Husband: "No, my dear."

"Then fine! Just look up and ask him if he expects me to keep awake all night waiting for it!"

"Yes, I prize this ring very highly. It was once the property of a famous millionaire."

"Who?"

"Woodworth."

A country preacher in Alabama, a dandy divine, noticed a new face in his congregation, and when the service was ended he hurried down to greet the newcomer.

"Mr. Martin," he said, "this is the first time you've been to our church. I'm mighty glad to see you here."

"Wherever Mr. Martin replied: 'Ah had to come, pastor. Ah needs strengthening.' Ah's got me a job white-washin' a chicken-coop an' build in a fence round a watermelon patch."

"If you will not listen to me I'll throw myself in front of this train that's coming now!"

"For God's sake, give me a chance to think. There'll be another train in five minutes."

The bank book manager was writing in his office when a very pompous man was shown in. "Take a chair, please," said the manager, not looking up.

"I suppose you are aware that I am Count Westcott," said the visitor. The banker went on writing and said quietly: "Oh, in that case, I guess you need not wait."

"Tony" Groom was talking to a young lady on the train, whose home was in Minneapolis, and she was much interested in his stories of the early days in Western Canada when Tony was a YOUNG man.

"Do you have reindeer in Canada?" she asked.

"No," said Tony, "at this season it usually snows and freezes."

Rustus was old, but he had a young wife whose labors over the washboard kept them both. At last Mirandy rebelled and they went before the judge to get a divorce.

Said the judge: "This is too bad—a case of June married to December."

"What's that, judge?" said Mirandy. "Seems to me a heap 'n' likin' labor Day married to de day ob rest."

Charlie Keelling: "I can't deliver any more coal until you pay me for the last lot."

Customer: "But, my dear man, I can't wait as long as that."

"Was the day before Christmas, Willis Jones broke a window with a snowball, caused his mother got his new suit full of shins, broke the radio and took father's fountain pen to draw pictures."

"Thank goodness," sighed Papa, "my boy is not a hypocrite."

PETER VEREGIN TELLS OF PLANS FOR BIG COLONY

WINNIPEG—First immigration to a world colony of Donkhorob, to be established at Veregin, Saskatchewan, will commence next spring, when the first of about 50,000 members of the unique religious sect will leave their present homes throughout the west and settle on the western prairie. Such is the decision of Peter Veregin the younger, after a three months' visit to Canada as successor to his picturesque father, who was killed some time ago in an explosion.

The younger, was much impressed and convinced found in the west, and declared it to be the ideal location for his people. It is a land blessed with opportunity, he declared, and its wide spaces are calling for economic and civil development.

Veregin, for many years, has been the center of a donkhorob colony, but with the new immigration scheme in mind, a thorough planning will take place. Additions will be made to buildings, factories, planning will and land-clearing activities, which will provide employment for the entire colony.

From all parts of the world as well as Canada, Donkhorobs will flock to Canada, and the first real world colony of this sect will be established.

UNIQUE CHRISTMAS TREE

MONTREAL—A brilliantly lighted Christmas tree occupied the centre of Phillips square, centre of Montreal's busy shopping district—but the tree was not for the delight to the children. Grouped about its base and in charge of its attention were sales of hay and bags of oats. The tree was for horses whose owners were unable to provide them with good food, and it was provided by a society interested in the welfare of animals.

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The Champions team also won the Ontario Provincial Championship and the Taylor Trophy and the Scully Cup, representing the championship of Algoma district of the St. John Ambulance Association. Members of the team are from left to right, back row, left to right: E. H. Smith, holding the Scully cup and standing behind the Montserrat Trophy; A. G. Shakespeare, first aid instructor of eastern lines; Lower row, left to right: E. H. Smith, seated behind the team and expressing his gratitude for the honor thus brought to the Company through their successful efforts. The work of A. G. Shakespeare, who had the instruction of the team in eastern lines of the Company in hand, was highly praised by the President and other officials present, including Grand Hall, senior vice-president; A. D. Macle, vice-president of Eastern branch of eastern lines. These representing the St. John Ambulance Association were: Col. C. A. Hodgkins, president of the general council and Fred Cook, past president of the Association.

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NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named James Peter Boholm who died on the 27th day of March, 1927, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administration by the 4th day of February, 1928, a full statement fully verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.
Dated this 22nd day of December, 1927.

A. L. WILLIAMS,
Solicitor for the Administrator
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11-14

DALEMEAD

A quiet, and very pretty wedding took place in the Knox United Church, when Rev. George Dickson united in marriage Miss Johanna Van der Velde, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van der Velde, and Mr. Jeanne Chilton, on Friday, December 29th, at 1 o'clock. The bride wore a lovely gown of aqua green. Attending at the wedding were members of both families, and on this occasion we extend most joyous greetings to the happy couple.

A very interesting social evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Winters left for Rochester, Minn., where their little daughter will receive treatment.

The U.P.A. held their annual meeting last Saturday, and re-elected last year's officers, namely: Mr. Harold Phillips as president and Mr. Jack Hilde as secretary. The U.P.A. intend holding a box social in the near future, and should be looked forward to.

AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING IN SHORT COURSE PROGRAM

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8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer. "Mary kept all these things."
12.15—Sunday School.
7.30 p.m.—Evensong. "The Carols of Christmas."
Monday, 6.30 p.m., supper and annual meeting in the Memorial Hall.
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STRATHMORE UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, January 8th, 1928
Church—Public Worship, 2 p.m.
Strathmore—Sunday School 11 a.m.; Public Worship, 7.30 p.m.
Subject: "The Place of Prayer in the Life of the Church."
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Mrs. Bray and family wish to express their thanks to their many friends for their sympathy, assistance and floral tributes during the time of their bereavement.

BERTA VALE S. D. N. 2331

The annual meeting of the ratemakers of the above S. D. will be held in the School House on January 12th, 1928, at 2 o'clock p.m.

(Signed) **R. J. KEARNS**
Secretary-Treasurer
Berta Vale S. D. No. 2331

NOTICE

Annual meeting of Crowfoot S. D. No. 2393, will be held at the School House on January 12th, 1928, at 2 o'clock. All resident ratemakers are requested to attend.

A. J. J. WEYERS

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